

NATURAL RESOURCE COMMISSION[571]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code subsection 455A.5(6) and section 455A.13, the Natural Resource Commission hereby amends Chapter 71, "Nursery Stock Sale to the Public," Iowa Administrative Code.

The adopted amendments to Chapter 71 increase the price of certain nursery stock sold by the Department to the public. In addition, aspen trees have been added to the hardwoods category of subrule 71.3(1). Pursuant to Iowa Code section 455A.13, the Commission is authorized to adopt rules that establish a range of prices for plant material grown at State Nurseries to cover expenses related to the growing of the plants. The amended prices are necessary to cover the Department's increased labor and production costs.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on March 11, 2009, as **ARC 7615B**. No public hearings were held on this rule making. One comment was received in support of the amendments.

These amendments are identical to those published under Notice of Intended Action.

These amendments are intended to implement Iowa Code sections 456A.20 and 461A.2 and 1989 Iowa Acts, chapter 311, section 16.

These amendments will become effective July 22, 2009.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Pursuant to recommendation of the Administrative Rules Review Committee published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin, September 10, 1986, the text of these amendments [71.3(1) to 71.3(5)] is being omitted. These amendments are identical to those published under Notice as **ARC 7615B**, IAB 3/11/09.

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